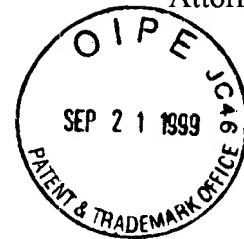


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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/010,408

Filed: January 22, 1998

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR TRACKING VEHICLE  
LOCATION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 15, 1999, please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 46, 48, and 52. Please cancel claims 43-45, 51, and 53.

All pending claims are reproduced below for convenient reference.

1                   21. A database system for computer aided dispatching comprising:  
2                   mobile position information, including position data about a plurality of mobile  
3                   units;  
4                   raster information, including digitized data about a first selected segment of  
5                   interest;  
6                   vector information, including intelligent data about a second selected segment  
7                   of interest; and

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